



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
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Reply to the Attention Of: SR-6J

September 3, 2009

RE: Review of Remedial Design Addendum
12th Street Landfill, Kalamazoo River Superfund Site Operable Unit #04
Plainwell, Michigan

Dear Mr. Gay:

The United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has received your request for an extension to the Remedial Design (RD) for *12th Street Landfill, Kalamazoo River Superfund Site Operable Unit #04, Plainwell, Michigan*. EPA grants the extension, with Weyerhaeuser's revision to the RD now due on October 5, 2009. Weyerhaeuser's response to EPA comments on the Pre-Final Design Addendum is still due on September 19, 2009.

Pursuant to the terms of the Consent Decree (CD) for the Design and Implementation of Certain Response Actions at the Operable Unit No. 4 and the Plainwell, Inc. Mill Property of the Allied Paper, Inc./Portage Creek/Kalamazoo River Superfund Site, a response to EPA's letter, commenting on the RD addendum to the pre-final design submittal, is due within 30 days of receipt of the comment letter. As the EPA comment letter was dated August 20, 2009, the response to these comments is due September 19, 2009. In your letter, you requested an extension for the revised RD, six to eight weeks from EPA's comment letter. The new RD due date of October 5, 2009 reflects EPA's granting of this request, replaces the time frame established in the CD's Statement of Work, and is fully enforceable.

If you have any questions about this letter, please contact me at (312) 353-8983.

Sincerely,

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